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1. HQS REQUEST CALLIGERIS HAVE PRESS CONFERENCE GIVING AS HIS VIEWS ON UFCO STRIKE SETTLEMENT IN WSBURNT STATEMENT ALONG FOLLOWING LINES. IF IMPOSSIBLE FOR HIM TO HAVE SUCH CONFERENCE AT LEAST TRY HAVE [ ] DO IT FOR [ ]

2. SUGGESTED STATEMENT OUTLINE:

STRIKE SETTLEMENT ENGINEERED BY ARBENZ, FANJUL AND PELLEGER ON TERMS LESS FAVORABLE THAN THOSE REFUSED IN HONDURAS. COMMIE LEADERS FELL VICTIMS OF OWN PROPAGANDA BELIEVING APPEASEMENT UFCO WILL LESSEN TENSION, PERMIT CONSOLIDATION FULL-FLEDGED COMMIE REGIME. SOLD OUT WORKERS WHO PAWNS IN SOVIET-COMMIE POWER GAME IN HOPE OF BUYING OFF OPPOSITION OF U.S. AND OVERCOMING COUNTING RESENTMENT INSIDE, OUTSIDE COUNTRY AGAINST SUPPRESSION CIVIL LIBERTIES, ARMING COMMIE ORGS., WAVE OF ILLEGAL ARRESTS AND TORTURE OF INNOCENT CITIZENS. ARBENZ PREFERRED SACRIFICE WORKERS INTERESTS TO FOREIGN CO. THAN THROW COMMUNIST IMPERIALISTS

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OUT OF HIS GOVT. GUAT PEOPLE MUST GET RID OF ARBENZ REGIME BEFORE GENUINE SETTLEMENTS WITH UFCO, OTHER FOREIGN COS., POSSIBLE. ANTI-COMMIE OPPOSITION PLEDGED TO REDUCE CAPITAL PRIVILEGES, FOREIGN OR DOMESTIC, TO REASONABLE LIMITATIONS, BUT FIRST TASK IS LIQUIDATION ARBENZ REGIME, PUPPET OF SOVIET IMPERIALISM, UNDER WHICH PEACE AT HOME AND ABROAD, ENDANGERED, PERSONAL RIGHTS AND FREEDOMS DESTROYED, AND RELIGION THREATENED. WHETHER OR NOT PBPRIME GOVT SATISFIED BY ARBENZ APPEASEMENT UFCO, GUAT. OPPOSITION CONTINUES FIGHT UNTIL ALL COMMIES AND THEIR STOOGES REMOVED FROM GOVT.

3. ADVISE WHEN PUBLISHED SO CAN USE ON SHERWOOD.

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